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AMENDMENT "B"

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
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This amendment is responsive to the Office Action dated August 10, 2005, in which Examiner objected to Claim 33 as being informal, rejected Claim 21, 22, 24, 29, 30, 32, 33, 36 and 37 under 35 U.S.C. §112, second paragraph as being indefinite for failing to particularly point out and distinctly claim the subject matter, rejected Claims 21 and 22 under 35 U.S.C. §102(b) as being anticipated by Wilson (6,158,165), rejected Claims 24 and 33 under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) as being unpatentable over Wilson in view of Earwood (1,655,361), rejected Claim 29 as being unpatentable over Wilson in view of Harwoods (4,244,135), rejected Claims 30 and 36 as being unpatentable over Wilson in view of Walker (5,896,695), rejected Claim 32 as being unpatentable over Wilson in view of Ridings (3,996,690), and rejected Claim 37 as being unpatentable over Wilson in modified form in view of Earwood (1,655,361).

The Examiner has further inquired if the enclosure claimed in Claims 21, 33 and 36 is to be inclusive of, or more than just a plurality of deflectable strips.

The applicant would like to withdraw Claim 27. The applicant requests the cancellation of Claims 21-26 and Claims 28-40, and the entry of the amended claims submitted herewith.